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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

This Amendment is filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for Extension of Time of one month. With the extension, the Request and this Amendment are due by September 19, 2005 (September 17, 2005 falling on a Saturday).

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning at page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin at page 8.